

[54] CONNECTOR FOR FOLDABLE
ELECTRONIC APPARATUS

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[57] ABSTRACT

A connector for an electronic apparatus with two cabinets which are foldable with respect to each other is shaped like a plate and is rotatably connected to these two cabinets around shafts which are inserted into holes formed on mutually opposite edge sections of the connector. A throughhole is formed perpendicularly to the shafts such that a connecting sheet for electrically connecting the two cabinets can be passed therethrough.

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